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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
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Thomas PICCARIELLO et al.) Group Art Unit: 1653
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Application Number: 09/933,708) Examiner: To Be Assigned
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Filed: August 22, 2001)
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For: ACTIVE AGENT DELIVERY SYSTEMS AND METHODS FOR PROTECTING
AND ADMINISTERING ACTIVE AGENTS

PETITION FOR TWO-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Applicants respectfully petition the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks for a two-month extension of time to respond to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application mailed September 13, 2001.

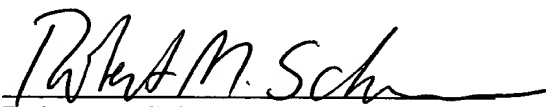
Submitted herewith is a check for **\$200.00** to cover the fee for the Extension under 37 C.F.R § 1.17. Any deficiency in or overpayment of this fee should be charged or credited to Deposit Account No. 50-0206.

Respectfully submitted,

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